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APPLICANT: CARRIGAN, Lori L.
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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provision of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application for two months from March 31, 2002 to May 31, 2002.

Applicant is a large entity; therefore, a check in the amount of \$400.00 for two months is enclosed to cover the cost of the extension.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 26-0084. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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